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## **Cash Receipts of Meat Animals Increased 17.4 Percent in New England**

CONCORD, NH – Total 2014 cash receipts from marketings of meat animals increased 17.4 percent to \$172.0 million, according to Gary Keough, State Statistician of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New England Field Office. Cattle and calves accounted for 96 percent of this total and hogs and pigs accounted for 4 percent. Cash receipts from marketings of cattle and calves increased 18.9 percent to \$165.4 million in 2014. All cattle and calf marketings totaled 100.9 million pounds in 2014, down 11.6 percent from 2013. Cash receipts from hogs and pigs totaled \$6.60 million during 2014, down 11.1 percent from 2013. Marketings total 8.57 million pounds in 2014, down 19.7 percent from 2013.

The 2014 gross income from cattle and calves and hogs and pigs for New England totaled \$184.9 million, up 18.6 percent from 2013. Gross income for cattle and calves increased 20 percent, but hogs and pigs decreased 8.1 percent from previous year's gross income.

Total 2014 production of cattle and calves and hogs and pigs for New England totaled 113.9 million pounds, up 3.5 percent from 2013. Production increased 5.1 percent for cattle and calves, but decreased 11.8 percent for hogs and pigs.

The complete Meat Animals Production, Disposition, and Income Annual Summary and all other NASS reports are available online at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov).

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